

**Weekly activities of the IDP- NAHEP under Central Agricultural University,  
Imphal (4<sup>th</sup> March – 10<sup>th</sup> March, 2022)**

- College of Horticulture and Forestry, Pasighat, Arunachal Pradesh successfully conducted webinar “Role of Famer Producer Organizations (FPOs) in Linking Farmers to Market”. The webinar is being conducted from 2<sup>nd</sup> Mar 2022 to 5<sup>th</sup> March 2022. A total of 320 peoples registered and actively participated the webinar. Resource persons and their area of talk are given below:

Sl. No.	Resource person	Topic	Youtube link
1.	<b>Dr. Roy Burman</b> Principal Scientist Division of Agricultural Extension Education IARI, Delhi	Extension Strategies for mobilization of farmers in the Formation of Farmer Producer Organizations (FPOs)	<a href="https://youtu.be/UCVIVVNrvsc">https://youtu.be/UCVIVVNrvsc</a>
2	<b>Dr. Manish Kanwat</b> Principal Scientist & Head ICAR- Central Arid Zone Research Institute , Jodhpur.	Farmer Producer Organization: A case Study of North East India	<a href="https://youtu.be/jLIXhxYxmvq">https://youtu.be/jLIXhxYxmvq</a>
3.	<b>Dr. Joginder Singh Malik</b> Professor Department of Extension Education CCSHAU, Hisar , Haryana	Role of Farmer Producer Organizations(FPOs) in Linking Farmer to Market	<a href="https://youtu.be/jahEDOVp03g">https://youtu.be/jahEDOVp03g</a>
4	<b>Dr.Latika Sharma</b> Associate Professor Department of Agricultural Economics, Rajasthan College of Agriculture MPUAT-Udaipur, Rajasthan	Govt. support to Farmer Producer Organization	<a href="https://youtu.be/BDMJTGf4UJU">https://youtu.be/BDMJTGf4UJU</a>

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Sl. No.	Activities	Target	Achieved	ST	SC	OBC	Gen
1.	Four days training webinar on “Role of Famer Producer Organizations (FPOs) in Linking Farmers to Market” held on 02 <sup>nd</sup> March to 05 <sup>th</sup> March, 2022; 10:30 a.m to 12:30 p.m	250	325	66	27	118	114

# Introduction

- In the context of Indian agriculture, a large majority of farmers are dependent on monsoon to raise their crops.
- Being small farms, they have a natural disadvantage to achieve scale to high investment.
- Limited investment capacity of these small farms is also an area of great concern.
- Access to critical inputs such as quality seeds, fertilisers, irrigation water and credit has created a hugely disabling ecosystem for the small farms.
- Most farms do not have access to the consumer market and therefore are forced to sell their produce to the numerous intermediaries operating in the market.
- This reduces their profit margin, making the farming business, in most cases, a non-viable one.



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## Farmers Producer Organization/Company : A Pathway to link farmers to the value chain

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Photos: Screenshot of Webinar in progress